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JAPANESE MEDICAL MATERIAL

SET, HORSESHOEING, VETERINARY NCO's, FIELD, TYPE 1938

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SOURCE: Veterinary Department Headquarters Depot, Tachikawa, Japan.

IMPORTANCE: Not previously reported.

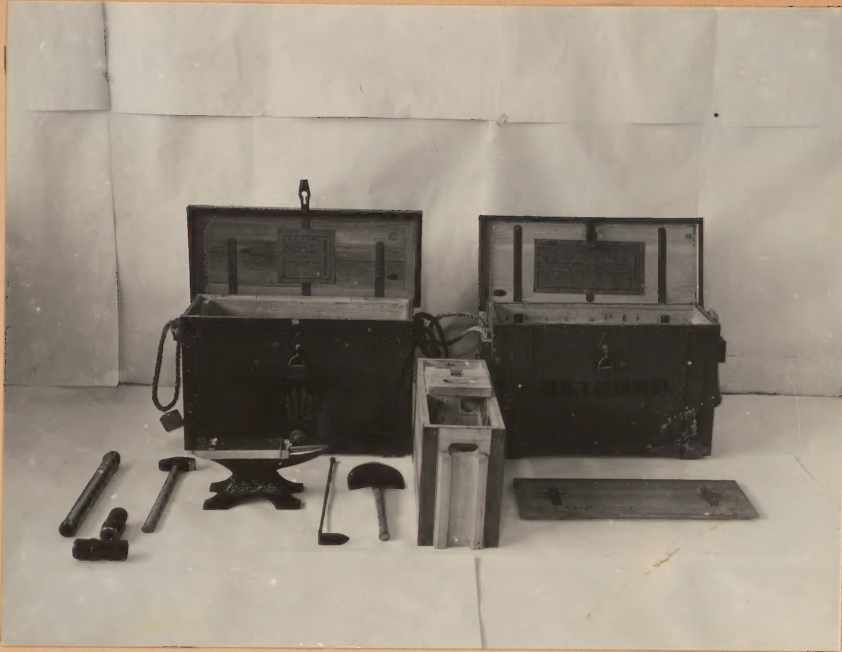
DESCRIPTION: This set consists of two plain, unnumbered wooden chests slightly reinforced with metal strips. Each chest is 28" x 12" x 18", has one rope handle on each end, one hasp for locking and an oversize lid.

The chests are painted dark green with red veterinary insignia on the ends and front. The Japanese characters on the front, literally translated, mean "Field Farriery Instruments". The inside of each chest is natural wood, unvarnished. Each chest has an inventory of contents on the inside of the lid. A translated copy is included in this report.

COMMENT: A report is made on this set for completeness only since horseshoeing equipment is a Quartermaster item in the US Army. Many items are missing from the set investigated.

As indicated by the name, one set is issued to each veterinary non-commissioned officer for use in the field, on the basis of one for 60 animals.

Photograph: Chests with contents displayed.



Chests with contents displayed

INVENTORY OF
SET, HORSESHOEING, VETERINARY NCO's, FIELD, TYPE 1938

FIRST CHEST

1.	Vise	ea	1
2.	Tweezers	pr	1
3.	Farrier hammer	ea	1
4.	Tongs	pr	1
5.	Supplementary tools	set	2
6.	No. 1 Canvas bag containing:		
	Punch	ea	1
	Square punch	ea	1
	Tweezers, for nailing	pr	1
	Tweezers, for repairing	pr	1
	Iron tailed chisel	ea	3
	Groovy chisel	ea	1
	Cold iron chisel	ea	1
7.	No. 2 Canvas bag containing:		
	File, half round, rough	ea	1
	File, flat, rough	ea	2
	Knife, for nailing	ea	2
	Horseshoe files	ea	4
	Female screw moulds	ea	5
8.	Handle, for female screw moulds	ea	1
9.	Leather apron	ea	4
10.	Hammer	ea	2
11.	Hoof knife	ea	3
12.	Saw	ea	1
13.	Saw handle	ea	1
14.	Large hammer	ea	1
15.	Handle, for large hammer	ea	2
16.	File handle	ea	3
17.	Grind stones,		
	Blue stones	ea	2
	Rough stones	ea	2
	Emery stone	ea	1

SECOND CHEST

18.	Tong, large	pr	1
19.	Anvil	ea	1
20.	Fire shovel	ea	1
21.	Fire rake	ea	1
22.	Blowing pipes	ea	2
23.	Spanner	ea	1
24.	Half round presser	ea	1
25.	Wind blower	ea	1
26.	Handle, for wind blower	ea	1
27.	Driver	ea	1